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**Subject:** RE: Blades Groundwater EPA Site Investigation and NPL Proposal Notice

Thank you for the heads up.

I looking at the SI, I did not see that samples from Peninsula Plating had any results that suggest that it may be a source, only that it is impacted by the source to the same extent as any of the residential properties. Is that correct? Or is there data that would warrant it being called out?

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**From:** O'Loughlin, Connor [mailto:oloughlin.connor@epa.gov]  
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**Blades Groundwater - Advanced Public Notice**

Mr. [Nonresponsive based on revised scope]

Good afternoon. Previously, we have discussed the EPA funded metals/PFAS site assessment and groundwater investigation of the greater Blades Delaware area. This correspondence is to notify you that tomorrow EPA and DNREC will issue a joint public notice discussing the Blades Groundwater Site. The EPA has finalized the Site Inspection (SI) (previously provided to you), and the Hazard Ranking Package (HRS) documents (for public comment). The EPA lead and funded Site Investigation (SI) which has indicated further investigatory activities are required due to ongoing contamination. I wanted to give you advanced notice and inform you that EPA has completed the HRS package and has determined that the Blades Groundwater Site qualifies for the NPL and has been proposed to the National Priorities List (NPL). The Procino Plating and Peninsula Plating facilities are included in the plume's boundaries and therefore are incorporated in the NPL listing. The main purpose of future ongoing activities will be to assess the hydrology of the plume as well as how the public and residential wells became contaminated. Your assistance regarding the past sampling events have been helpful and I hope to continue working with you to conduct further investigations and remediation.

If you have any question please don't hesitate to call. Thank you very much.

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